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IN THE SPECIFICATION*Page 13, replace the first full paragraph with the following:*

The tone generator (T.G.) circuit 7, which is capable of simultaneously generating tone signals in a plurality of channels, receives performance information supplied via the data and address bus 1D and generates tone signals based on the received performance information. Each of the tone signals thus generated by the tone generator circuit 7 is audibly reproduced or sounded by a sound system 8A after being imparted with an effect via an effect circuit 8. The effect circuit 8 includes a plurality of effect units which impart various effects to the tone signals, generated by the tone generator circuit 7, in accordance with effect parameters. The tone generator circuit 7, effect circuit 8 and sound system 8A may be constructed in any conventionally known manner. For example, any desired tone signal synthesis method may be used in the tone generator circuit 7, such as the FM, PCM, physical model or ~~formant~~ format synthesis method. Further, the tone generator circuit 7 may be implemented by either dedicated hardware or software processing performed by the CPU 1.

*Pages 26-27, replace the paragraph spanning these pages with the following:*

~~Event~~ Referring to Fig. 5, event data A having timing data "1: 1: 000" is data for displaying a normal event represented by the type "stem", i.e. a note stem, which shows that the voice section is "first voice section" (i.e., treble section) (vc = 1), the number of notes is "1" (tnn = 1), the orientation of the note stem is downward (dd = 2) and the number of flags is "0" (ff = 0), the number of rearward (front-to-rear) beams is "0" (bf = 0) and the number of forward (rear-to-front) beams is "1" (bb = 1). Event data B, having the same timing data as the event data A, is data for displaying a normal event represented by the type "head", i.e. a note head, which shows that the type of the note is "eighth note" (ty = 5 (eighth)), the tone pitch is "D4" (nn = 74 (D4)) and there is no accidental mark (ac = 1 (none)). In accordance with the event data A, a note stem event A is displayed which includes a downward note tail, extending from a display position corresponding to X-direction position data "1: 1: 000" and Y-direction position data "D4", and a forward beam. In accordance with the event data B, a note head event B is displayed which represents an eighth note (with no accidental mark) at that display position corresponding to X-direction position data "1: 1: 000" and Y-direction position data "D4". Then, in accordance with event data C and event data D having timing data "1: 1: 240", a note stem event C is displayed which includes a downward note tail, extending from a display position corresponding to X-direction position data "1: 1: 240" and Y-direction position data "G3", and a

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rearward beam (bf = 1) and forward beam (bb = 1), as well as a note head event D which represents an eighth note (with no accidental mark) at that display position.